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For: APPARATUS, SYSTEM AND METHOD OF)
USING A VIBRATION BEAM WITH A)
PIEZO-ELECTRIC ACTUATOR)

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed 6 September 2005, the invention identified as Group I (claims 1-7) is hereby elected for examination on the merits. This election is made without traverse.

The period for responding extends through 6 October 2005. It is respectfully submitted that no fees are due for filing this response; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees to Deposit Account No. 08-1641.

Applicants, of course, reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims and inventions. Examination on the merits is kindly requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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